

# **Mississippi Arts Commission**

## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**



### **Adams**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Galen Mark LaFrancis</b>	<b>Contact:</b>
<b>Address:</b>	9 Janice Circle	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-442-0980
	Natchez, MS 39120	
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>J. R. Sálongo Lee III</b>	<b>Contact:</b>
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 2011	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-620-0569
	Natchez, MS 39121	
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>J. R. Sálongo Lee III</b>	<b>Contact:</b>
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 2011	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-620-0569
	Natchez, MS 39121	
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to attend pottery workshops	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Jean Benoit</b>	<b>Contact:</b>
<b>Address:</b>	103 Woodhaven Drive	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-446-6560
	Natchez, MS 39120	
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to attend a professional development workshop	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Mississippi Writers Guild</b>	<b>Contact:</b> Galen Mark LaFrancis
<b>Address:</b>	9 Janice Circle	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-442-0980
	Natchez, MS 39120	
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support the 10th Annual Mississippi Writers Guild Conference	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Natchez Opera Festival, Inc.</b>	<b>Contact:</b> Jay Dean
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 2207	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-877-6261
	Natchez, MS 39121	
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$17,400.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	
<b>6 grant(s) awarded in Adams County totaling</b>		<b>\$22,500.00</b>

### **Alcorn**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Corinth Theatre-Arts</b>	<b>Contact:</b> Casey Duke
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 127	<b>Telephone:</b> 662-287-2995
	Corinth, MS 38835	
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$12,250.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	

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### **Alcorn**

**Name:** LINK, Healthy Communities, Healthy Youth

**Address:** 1204 N. Harper Road  
Corinth, MS 38834

**Contact:** Myra Strom

**Telephone:** 662-287-2425

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support a community-based arts infusion project

**2 grant(s) awarded in Alcorn County totaling \$16,350.00**

### **Bolivar**

**Name:** Amy Cannestra

**Address:** 500 College Street  
Cleveland, MS 38732-3716

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 414-881-1122

**Grant Awarded:** \$412.00

**Description:** to purchase art supplies

**Name:** Delta Arts Alliance

**Address:** P. O. Box 763  
Cleveland, MS 38732

**Contact:** Rori Eddie Herbison

**Telephone:** 662-843-3344

**Grant Awarded:** \$17,400.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Delta State University-Delta Music Institute

**Address:** 1003 W. Sunflower Road, Box 3114  
Cleveland, MS 38733

**Contact:** Tricia Walker

**Telephone:** 662-846-4579

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support a youth summer camp

**Name:** DSU/Bologna Performing Arts Center

**Address:** 1003 West Sunflower Road, DSU Box 3213,  
Cleveland, MS 38733

**Contact:** Joannah Taylor

**Telephone:** 662-846-4844

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for the Summer Arts Institute

**Name:** GRAMMY Museum Mississippi

**Address:** 800 West Sunflower Road  
Cleveland, MS 38732-2502

**Contact:** Vickie Jackson

**Telephone:** 662-441-0100

**Grant Awarded:** \$958.00

**Description:** to attend the American Music Festival and Conference

**Name:** Tricia Walker

**Address:** P. O. Box 552  
Cleveland, MS 38732

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 662-846-4579

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**6 grant(s) awarded in Bolivar County totaling \$27,770.00**

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### **Carroll**

**Name:** Carroll County Development Association

**Address:** P. O. Box 175  
Carrollton, MS 38917

**Contact:** Bernard Taylor  
**Telephone:** 662-237-4390

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,500.00

**Description:** to support the Pilgrimage & Pioneer Day Festival

**Name:** Town of Vaiden

**Address:** P. O. Box 76  
Vaiden, MS 39176

**Contact:** Sonya Stokes-Greenleaf  
**Telephone:** 662-464-5266

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,575.00

**Description:** to support the Vaiden Heritage Festival

**2 grant(s) awarded in Carroll County totaling \$5,075.00**

### **Choctaw**

**Name:** Jim Walter Moore

**Address:** 181 Moore Road  
Ackerman, MS 39735

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-736-0008

**Grant Awarded:** \$2,000.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

**1 grant(s) awarded in Choctaw County totaling \$2,000.00**

### **Claiborne**

**Name:** Alcorn State University - Department of Fine Arts

**Address:** 1000 Alcorn Drive #29  
Alcorn State, MS 39096

**Contact:** David C. Miller  
**Telephone:** 601-877-6602

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the 37th Annual Jazz Festival

**Name:** Tammy McGrew

**Address:** 714 Magnolia Street, Apt 26  
Port Gibson, MS 39150

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-629-8449

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Fellowship

**Name:** Tammy McGrew

**Address:** 714 Magnolia Street, Apt 26  
Port Gibson, MS 39150

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-629-8449

**Grant Awarded:** \$2,000.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

**3 grant(s) awarded in Claiborne County totaling \$10,600.00**

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### **Coahoma**

**Name:** Coahoma Community College

**Address:** 3240 Friars Point Road  
Clarksdale, MS 38614

**Contact:** Panny Flautt Mayfield  
**Telephone:** 662-627-2571

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support a theatre performance at the Tennessee Williams Festival

**Name:** Delta Blues Museum

**Address:** P. O. Box 459  
Clarksdale, MS 38614-0459

**Contact:** Shelley Ritter  
**Telephone:** 662-627-6820

**Grant Awarded:** \$26,100.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Griot Arts Inc.

**Address:** 278 Sunflower Avenue  
Clarksdale, MS 38614

**Contact:** Cali Noland  
**Telephone:** 662-902-6805

**Grant Awarded:** \$17,400.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Lower Mississippi River Foundation

**Address:** 291 Sunflower Avenue  
Clarksdale, MS 38614

**Contact:** John Ruskey  
**Telephone:** 662-627-4070

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support a dugout canoe project

**Name:** Rock 'n Roll Museum, Inc.

**Address:** 113 E. Second Street  
Clarksdale, MS 38614

**Contact:** Heidi Knochenhauer  
**Telephone:** 901-605-8662

**Grant Awarded:** \$14,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Sunflower River Blues Association

**Address:** P. O. Box 1562  
Clarksdale, MS 38614

**Contact:** Panny Flautt Mayfield  
**Telephone:** 662-621-4157

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the Sunflower River Blues and Gospel Festival

**6 grant(s) awarded in Coahoma County totaling \$70,200.00**

### **Copiah**

**Name:** City of Crystal Springs

**Address:** P. O. Box 473  
Crystal Springs, MS 39059

**Contact:** Casey Kitchens  
**Telephone:** 601-892-1210

**Grant Awarded:** \$2,250.00

**Description:** to support the creation of a mural

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### **Copiah**

**Name:** City of Hazlehurst

**Address:** 209 South Extension Street  
Hazlehurst, MS 39083

**Contact:** Valarie Robinson  
**Telephone:** 601-894-3131

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support the Rockin' Railroad Festival

**Name:** Zach Day

**Address:** 12034 Highway 51 South  
Hazlehurst, MS 39083

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-826-4041

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**3 grant(s) awarded in Copiah County totaling**

**\$6,750.00**

### **Desoto**

**Name:** DeSoto Arts Council

**Address:** P. O. Box 718  
Hernando, MS 38632

**Contact:** Margaret Yates  
**Telephone:** 662-404-3361

**Grant Awarded:** \$12,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** DeSoto Family Theatre

**Address:** 8710 Northwest Drive, Suite 303  
Southaven, MS 38671

**Contact:** Donna Wieronski  
**Telephone:** 662-280-6546

**Grant Awarded:** \$18,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Northwest MS Theatre Guild, Inc

**Address:** P. O. Box 47  
Hernando, MS 38632

**Contact:** Joi Taylor  
**Telephone:** 888-429-7871

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the theatre season

**Name:** Olive Branch Arts Council

**Address:** P. O. Box 90  
Olive Branch, MS 38654

**Contact:** Dena Richardson  
**Telephone:** 901-619-0261

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Olive Branch Elementary

**Address:** 9549 East Pigeon Roost  
Olive Branch, MS 38654

**Contact:** Marche Phillips  
**Telephone:** 662-895-2256

**Grant Awarded:** \$900.00

**Description:** to present Puppet Arts Theatre

**5 grant(s) awarded in Desoto County totaling**

**\$39,500.00**

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### **Forrest**

<b>Name:</b> Blake O'Brien	
<b>Address:</b> 209 S 21st Avenue	<b>Contact:</b>
Hattiesburg, MS 39401	<b>Telephone:</b> 228-669-5204
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b> for a Visual Arts Fellowship	
<b>Name:</b> Hattiesburg Arts Council	
<b>Address:</b> P. O. Box 693	<b>Contact:</b> Kim Whitt
Hattiesburg, MS 39403	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-583-6005
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$250.00	
<b>Description:</b> to present roster artist Tom Harmon	
<b>Name:</b> Hattiesburg Arts Council	
<b>Address:</b> P. O. Box 693	<b>Contact:</b> Rebekah S. Johnson
Hattiesburg, MS 39403	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-583-6005
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$17,400.00	
<b>Description:</b> for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b> Hattiesburg Concert Association	
<b>Address:</b> P. O. Box 16028	<b>Contact:</b> Mike Lopinto
Hattiesburg, MS 39404	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-582-5555
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$26,100.00	
<b>Description:</b> for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b> Hector Boldo	
<b>Address:</b> 1406 N Main Street	<b>Contact:</b>
Hattiesburg, MS 39401	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-549-7288
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to purchase art supplies	
<b>Name:</b> Julie White	
<b>Address:</b> 413 Bay Street	<b>Contact:</b>
Hattiesburg, MS 39401	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-434-0040
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$0.00	
<b>Description:</b> for the Teaching Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b> Rebecca Frank	
<b>Address:</b> 106 N 22nd Avenue	<b>Contact:</b>
Hattiesburg, MS 39401	<b>Telephone:</b> 617-501-0730
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b> for a Literary Arts Fellowship	
<b>7 grant(s) awarded in Forrest County totaling</b>	<b>\$53,250.00</b>

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### **Grenada**

**Name:** Grenada Community Foundation

**Address:** 81 S. Church Street  
Grenada, MS 38901

**Contact:** Katrina Kinder

**Telephone:** 917-853-3598

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support the Afterglow Festival

**1 grant(s) awarded in Grenada County totaling**

**\$4,500.00**

### **Hancock**

**Name:** Carolyn Busenleener

**Address:** 6007 Jenness Road  
Pearlington, MS 39572

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 504-296-3843

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** to purchase art supplies

**Name:** Coast Chorale

**Address:** P O Box 6531  
Diamondhead, MS 39525

**Contact:** Myrna Henson

**Telephone:** 228-223-9631

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,750.00

**Description:** to support a community concert

**Name:** Hancock Performing Arts Center

**Address:** 7140 Stennis Airport Road  
Kiln, MS 39556

**Contact:** Catherine Tibbs

**Telephone:** 228-255-6247

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support a film project

**3 grant(s) awarded in Hancock County totaling**

**\$6,350.00**

### **Harrison**

**Name:** Center Stage, Inc.

**Address:** 2670 Rue Palafox  
Biloxi, MS 39531

**Contact:** Ginny Russum

**Telephone:** 228-388-6258

**Grant Awarded:** \$14,000.00

**Description:** For an Operating Grant

**Name:** Erika Johnson

**Address:** 12375 Magnolia Court  
Gulfport, MS 39503

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 228-239-1516

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** to attend a professional development class

**Name:** Gulf Coast Symphony Orchestra

**Address:** 11975 Seaway Road, Suite A130  
Gulfport, MS 39503

**Contact:** Daniel Martinez

**Telephone:** 228-896-4276

**Grant Awarded:** \$5,000.00

**Description:** for the LinkUP! Arts Education Initiative

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### **Harrison**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Gulf Coast Symphony Orchestra</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	11975 Seaway Road, Suite A130 Gulfport, MS 39503	<b>Contact:</b> Whitney Sumrall <b>Telephone:</b> 228-896-4276
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$26,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Gulfport Galleria of Fine Arts</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 1593 Gulfport, MS 39502	<b>Contact:</b> Barbara Johnson Ross <b>Telephone:</b> 228-861-5826
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$2,481.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support a fine art summer camp	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>J. Marcus Weekley</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	10530 Three Rivers Rd. #157 Gulfport, MS 39503	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 228-213-3781
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$391.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to produce promotional materials	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Land Trust for the Mississippi Coastal Plain</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 245 Biloxi, MS 39533	<b>Contact:</b> Melanie Allen <b>Telephone:</b> 228-435-9191
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support an Artist in Residence program	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Lee Renninger</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	243 Walston Avenue Gulfport, MS 39507	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 228-223-2764
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for a Visual Arts Fellowship	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Lynn Meadows Discovery Center</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	246 Dolan Avenue Gulfport, MS 39507	<b>Contact:</b> Penny Patterson <b>Telephone:</b> 228-897-6039
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$26,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Michael Richardson</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	621 McIntosh Street Gulfport, MS 39507	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 228-248-0013
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Michael Richardson</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	621 McIntosh Street Gulfport, MS 39507	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 228-248-0013
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for a Folk Arts Fellowship	



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### **Harrison**

<b>Name:</b> <b>Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art</b>	
<b>Address:</b> PO Box 248	<b>Contact:</b> Carol Messer
Biloxi, MS 39533-0248	<b>Telephone:</b> 228-374-5547
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$26,100.00	
<b>Description:</b> for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b> <b>O'Keefe Educational Media</b>	
<b>Address:</b> 700 Pass Road	<b>Contact:</b> Kathy Stafford
Gulfport, MS 39501	<b>Telephone:</b> 228-604-4020
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b> to support the Art Ability Fair	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Sadako Lewis</b>	
<b>Address:</b> 513 Evergreen Drive	<b>Contact:</b>
Long Beach, MS 39560	<b>Telephone:</b> 228-224-2762
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to purchase art supplies	
<b>Name:</b> <b>St. James Catholic Elementary School</b>	
<b>Address:</b> 603 West Avenue	<b>Contact:</b> Terese Gargiulo Evans
Gulfport, MS 39507	<b>Telephone:</b> 228-896-6631
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to support the annual Spring Musical	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Stacey Johnson</b>	
<b>Address:</b> 244 Porter Avenue	<b>Contact:</b>
Biloxi, MS 39530	<b>Telephone:</b> 228-382-4457
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to attend a sculpture workshop	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Tonya Sanders Hays</b>	
<b>Address:</b> 9177 Ridge Road	<b>Contact:</b>
Gulfport, MS 39503	<b>Telephone:</b> 228-860-6336
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to attend the Edinburgh Fringe Theatre Festival	
<b>17 grant(s) awarded in Harrison County totaling</b>	<b>\$124,272.00</b>

### **Hinds**

<b>Name:</b> <b>"King" Edward Antoine</b>	
<b>Address:</b> 6811 Old Canton Road, #3404	<b>Contact:</b>
Ridgeland, MS 39157	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-540-1984
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$0.00	
<b>Description:</b> for the Mississippi Artist Roster	

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### **Hinds**

<b>Name:</b> <b>Amelia Key</b>	
Address: 3014 Oxford Ave	Contact:
Jackson, MS 39216	Telephone: 334-714-6511
Grant Awarded: \$4,500.00	
Description: for a Visual Arts Fellowship	
<b>Name:</b> <b>APAC A-Cubed</b>	
Address: 1120 Riverside Drive	Contact: David Schommer
Jackson, MS 39202	Telephone: 601-960-5387
Grant Awarded: \$4,100.00	
Description: to hire an artist for design based learning	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Arts Council of Clinton, Inc.</b>	
Address: P. O. Box 572	Contact: Ricky Nations
Clinton, MS 39060	Telephone: 601-750-3052
Grant Awarded: \$3,500.00	
Description: to support the performance of Thacker Mountain Radio Hour at Clinton High	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Ballet Mississippi</b>	
Address: P. O. Box 1787	Contact: Millie Clanton
Jackson, MS 39215	Telephone: 601-960-1560
Grant Awarded: \$26,100.00	
Description: for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Central Mississippi Blues Society, Inc.</b>	
Address: P. O. Box 8314	Contact: Malcolm Shepherd
Jackson, MS 39284	Telephone: 601-291-2811
Grant Awarded: \$4,100.00	
Description: to support the Blue Monday series	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Chandler Griffin</b>	
Address: 3 Pierce Cove	Contact:
Jackson, MS 39211	Telephone: 917-385-9343
Grant Awarded: \$4,500.00	
Description: for a Media Arts Fellowship	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Chuck Gale</b>	
Address: 5443 Hartsdale Drive	Contact:
Jackson, MS 39211	Telephone: 601-955-6430
Grant Awarded: \$0.00	
Description: for the Teaching Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b> <b>Chuck Gale</b>	
Address: 5443 Hartsdale Drive	Contact:
Jackson, MS 39211	Telephone: 601-955-6430
Grant Awarded: \$0.00	
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### **Hinds**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>City of Byram</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 720222 Byram, MS 39272	<b>Contact:</b> Lareka Washington <b>Telephone:</b> 601-37-2-7764
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$1,000.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to present Dexter Allen	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Community Foundation of Greater Jackson, Inc</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	525 E. Capitol Street Jackson, MS 39201	<b>Contact:</b> Jackie P. Bailey <b>Telephone:</b> 601-974-6044
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to repair art made for the Mississippi Governor's Mansion in the 1980's	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Crossroads Film Society</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 22604 Jackson, MS 39225	<b>Contact:</b> Michele Baker <b>Telephone:</b> 601-345-5674
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support the Film Festival	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Dexter Allen</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 2705 Jackson, MS 39207	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 601-456-1715
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Genesis and Light Center</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	4914 N. State Street Jackson, MS 39206	<b>Contact:</b> Lesia Brewer <b>Telephone:</b> 601-362-6736
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support a summer art program for at-risk youth	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Ginger Williams Cook</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	1620 Myrtle Street Jackson, MS 39202	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 601-940-7080
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to purchase art supplies	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Greater Jackson Arts Council</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	201 East Pascagoula St, Suite 103 Jackson, MS 39201	<b>Contact:</b> Jon Salem <b>Telephone:</b> 601-960-1557
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$18,000.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>International Museum of Muslim Cultures</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	201 East Pascagoula Street Jackson, MS 39201	<b>Contact:</b> Khalid Hudson <b>Telephone:</b> 601-960-0440
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$14,000.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	

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### **Hinds**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Jackson Choral Society</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P.O. Box 4211 Jackson, MS 39296	<b>Contact:</b> John McMillan <b>Telephone:</b> 601-906-2255
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support the concert season 2016 - 2017	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Jackson Hinds Library System</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	300 North State Street Jackson, MS 39201	<b>Contact:</b> Kim Corbett <b>Telephone:</b> 601-968-5825
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$900.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to present Puppet Arts Theatre	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Jennifer "JJ Thames" Tucker</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	3312 Revels Avenue Jackson, MS 39213	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 601-951-0070
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Jimmi Mayes</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	1542 Barrett Avenue Jackson, MS 39204	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 312-841-2667
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>JSU/Gallery 1- College of Liberal Arts</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	1100 John R. Lynch Street Jackson, MS 39203	<b>Contact:</b> Shon McCarthy <b>Telephone:</b> 601-960-9250
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support a visual art summer camp	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>JSU/MW Alexander National Research Ctr.</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 17008 Jackson, MS 39217	<b>Contact:</b> Helen Crump <b>Telephone:</b> 601-979-2055
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support the 11th Annual Creative Arts Festival	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Kateri Tolo</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	3059 Oxford Avenue Jackson, MS 39216	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 651-387-2538
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to purchase art supplies	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Krista Bower</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	910 Morningside Street, Apt. B Jackson, MS 39202	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 810-623-4695
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for a Performing Arts Fellowship	

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Hinds**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Kristen Tordella-Williams</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	4022 North State Street Jackson, MS 39206	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 978-846-0242
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to attend a professional development workshop	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>McKinney Williams</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	3330 Jayne Avenue Jackson, MS 39209	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 601-942-4085
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$2,000.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Meghan Garner</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	4356 Henderson Circle Jackson, MS 39206	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 979-571-4292
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to purchase art supplies	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Millsaps College/Arts &amp; Lecture Series</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	1701 North State Street Jackson, MS 39210	<b>Contact:</b> Nola Gibson <b>Telephone:</b> 601-974-1130
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support the 2016 - 2017 Arts and Lecture Series	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Mississippi Academy of Ancient Music</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	103 Magnolia Street Edwards, MS 39066	<b>Contact:</b> Richard McGinnis <b>Telephone:</b> 601-594-5584
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support a concert series	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Mississippi Boychoir</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 16395 Jackson, MS 39236	<b>Contact:</b> Nancy Robertson <b>Telephone:</b> 601-665-7374
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$12,000.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Mississippi Brass &amp; Percussion</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	1441 Suzanna Drive Raymond, MS 39154	<b>Contact:</b> Anne Pedersen Berthold <b>Telephone:</b> 601-212-9993
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artsit Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Mississippi Children's Home Society-Cares Center</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 1078 Jackson, MS 39215	<b>Contact:</b> Andrea Baldwin <b>Telephone:</b> 601-352-7784
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$1,000.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to present Jerry Jenkins	

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## ***Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County***

### **Hinds**

<b>Name:</b> Mississippi Children's Museum	
<b>Address:</b> P. O. Box 55409	<b>Contact:</b> Jana Perry
Jackson, MS 39296	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-709-8357
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to support the Visiting Artist program	
<b>Name:</b> Mississippi College/Department of Art	
<b>Address:</b> P. O. Box 4020	<b>Contact:</b> Stephanie Busbea
Clinton, MS 39058	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-925-3231
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$1,000.00	
<b>Description:</b> to present Bill Dunlap	
<b>Name:</b> Mississippi Council on Economic Education	
<b>Address:</b> 1701 North State Street	<b>Contact:</b> Allie Hudson
Jackson, MS 39210	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-974-1325
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b> to support training for educators	
<b>Name:</b> Mississippi Council on Economic Education	
<b>Address:</b> 1701 North State Street	<b>Contact:</b> Allie Hudson
Jackson, MS 39210	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-974-1325
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to present Crooked Creek	
<b>Name:</b> Mississippi Girlchoir	
<b>Address:</b> 1991 Lakeland Drive, Suite M	<b>Contact:</b> Meghan Weaver
Jackson, MS 39216	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-981-9863
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$17,400.00	
<b>Description:</b> for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b> Mississippi Humanities Council	
<b>Address:</b> 3825 Ridgewood Road, Room 317	<b>Contact:</b> Caroline Gillespie
Jackson, MS 39211	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-432-6752
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$3,960.00	
<b>Description:</b> to support the Family Literacy Project	
<b>Name:</b> Mississippi Museum of Art, Inc	
<b>Address:</b> 380 South Lamar Street	<b>Contact:</b> Robert Peebles
Jackson, MS 39201	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-960-1515
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$26,100.00	
<b>Description:</b> for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b> Mississippi Museum of Art, Inc	
<b>Address:</b> 380 South Lamar Street	<b>Contact:</b> Daniel Johnson
Jackson, MS 39201	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-960-1515
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to present visual artist Tony Davenport	

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Hinds**

**Name:** Mississippi Music Teachers Association  
**Address:** 220 Devonport Circle  
Raymond, MS 39154  
**Contact:** Alice Ballard  
**Telephone:** 769-226-7038  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** to support the 62nd Annual Mississippi Music Teachers Association conference

**Name:** Mississippi Opera Association, Inc.  
**Address:** P. O. Box 1551  
Jackson, MS 39215  
**Contact:** Tippy Garner  
**Telephone:** 601-960-2300  
**Grant Awarded:** \$17,400.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Mississippi Puppetry Guild, Inc.  
**Address:** P. O. Box 12123  
Jackson, MS 39236  
**Contact:** T. J. McSparrin  
**Telephone:** 601-977-9840  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** to support a season of performances

**Name:** Mississippi Symphony Orchestra  
**Address:** P. O. Box 2052  
Jackson, MS 39225  
**Contact:** West Sweatt  
**Telephone:** 601-960-1565  
**Grant Awarded:** \$26,100.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Mississippi Symphony Orchestra  
**Address:** P. O. Box 2052  
Jackson, MS 39225  
**Contact:** West Sweatt  
**Telephone:** 601-960-1565  
**Grant Awarded:** \$5,000.00  
**Description:** for the LinkUP! Arts Education Initiative

**Name:** Nate Theisen  
**Address:** 1512 Winchester Street  
Jackson, MS 39211  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-212-7122  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** for a Visual Arts Fellowship

**Name:** New Stage Theatre  
**Address:** 1100 Carlisle Street  
Jackson, MS 39202  
**Contact:** Dawn Buck  
**Telephone:** 601-948-3533  
**Grant Awarded:** \$23,490.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Peter Zapletal  
**Address:** 1927 Springridge Drive  
Jackson, MS 39211  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-956-3414  
**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00  
**Description:** to attend the Puppeteers of America conference

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Hinds**

**Name:** **Puppet Arts Theatre**  
**Address:** 1927 Springridge Road  
Jackson, MS 39211-3344  
**Contact:** Peter Zapletal  
**Telephone:** 601-956-3414  
**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00  
**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** **Rhonda Blasingame**  
**Address:** 4649 Normandy Drive  
Jackson, MS 39206  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-613-1126  
**Grant Awarded:** \$2,000.00  
**Description:** for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

**Name:** **Scott Albert Johnson**  
**Address:** 449 Downing Street  
Jackson, MS 39216  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-454-2613  
**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00  
**Description:** to attend the Society for the Preservation and Advancement of the Harmonica

**Name:** **Teneia Sanders-Eichelberger**  
**Address:** 4616 Meadowridge Drive  
Jackson, MS 39206  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 602-772-0513  
**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00  
**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** **The Celtic Heritage Society**  
**Address:** P. O. Box 5166  
Jackson, MS 39296  
**Contact:** Steven Payne  
**Telephone:** 601-940-7374  
**Grant Awarded:** \$1,230.00  
**Description:** to support CelticFest Mississippi

**Name:** **The Farish Street Community of Shalom Inc**  
**Address:** 517 N. Farish Street  
Jackson, MS 39202  
**Contact:** Carrie Daniels  
**Telephone:** 601-355-5878  
**Grant Awarded:** \$1,000.00  
**Description:** to present Jerry Jenkins in an African drum and dance workshop

**Name:** **The Mississippi Chorus**  
**Address:** P. O. Box 13407  
Jackson, MS 39236  
**Contact:** Michael Hrivnak  
**Telephone:** 601-278-3351  
**Grant Awarded:** \$12,000.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** **USA International Ballet Competition**  
**Address:** P.O. Box 3696  
Jackson, MS 39207  
**Contact:** Brenda Trigg  
**Telephone:** 601-355-9853  
**Grant Awarded:** \$26,100.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant



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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Hinds**

**Name:** VSA Mississippi

**Address:** P. O. Box 2364  
Jackson, MS 39225

**Contact:** Tom Harmon  
**Telephone:** 601 278-1983

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support the Community Arts Group program for adults with disabilities

**58 grant(s) awarded in Hinds County totaling \$327,580.00**

### **Humphreys**

**Name:** Ronald Myers

**Address:** P. O. Box 269  
Belzoni, MS 39038

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-392-2016

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**1 grant(s) awarded in Humphreys County totaling \$0.00**

### **Jackson**

**Name:** Friends of the Mary C. O'Keefe Cultural Center of Arts &

**Address:** 1600 Government Street  
Ocean Springs, MS 39564

**Contact:** Susan Bosco  
**Telephone:** 228-818-2878

**Grant Awarded:** \$26,100.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Friends of the Mary C. O'Keefe Cultural Center of Arts &

**Address:** 1600 Government Street  
Ocean Springs, MS 39564

**Contact:** Stacy Howell  
**Telephone:** 228-818-2878

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,000.00

**Description:** to attend the Performing Arts Exchange Conference

**Name:** Gulf Coast Messiah Chorus

**Address:** P.O. Box 431  
Ocean Springs, MS 39566

**Contact:** George M. Canaga  
**Telephone:** 228-875-9614

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to present a choral concert series

**Name:** Historic Ocean Springs Association

**Address:** P. O. Box 552  
Ocean Springs, MS 39566

**Contact:** Melanie Allen  
**Telephone:** 228-872-0846

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,500.00

**Description:** to support a variety of arts events

**Name:** Kenneth William Davies

**Address:** 1418 Louis Alexis Trail  
Gautier, MS 39553

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 228-522-0028

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** to attend the Southeastern Composers' League Forum

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Jackson**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Melange Dance Company</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 1211 Pascagoula, MS 39568	<b>Contact:</b> Felicia Busby <b>Telephone:</b> 228-762-6493
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$5,250.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Mississippi Theatre Association</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 625 Ocean Springs, MS 39566	<b>Contact:</b> Tim Matheny <b>Telephone:</b> 601-201-9564
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$10,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Public Art Project of Ocean Springs</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 552 Ocean Springs, MS 39566	<b>Contact:</b> Melanie Allen <b>Telephone:</b> 228-872-0846
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$3,500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to support the acquisition and installation of an art piece	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Walter Anderson Museum of Art</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	510 Washington Avenue Ocean Springs, MS 39564	<b>Contact:</b> Julie B. Franc <b>Telephone:</b> 228-872-3164
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$26,100.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for an Operating Grant	
<b>9 grant(s) awarded in Jackson County totaling</b>		<b>\$80,550.00</b>

### **Jones**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Emerald Accent</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	P. O. Box 8253 Laurel, MS 39441	<b>Contact:</b> Clark E. Lowery <b>Telephone:</b> 601-528-0758
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Kenny Scoggins</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	2275 Hwy 11 North Heidelberg, MS 39439	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 601-433-6876
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Description:</b>	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Kim Whitt</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	318 Cook Road Moselle, MS 39459	<b>Contact:</b> <b>Telephone:</b> 601-310-4168
<b>Grant Awarded:</b>	\$500.00	
<b>Description:</b>	to attend a professional development workshop	

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Jones**

**Name:** Lauren Rogers Museum of Art  
**Address:** P.O. Box 1108  
Laurel, MS 39441  
**Contact:** Holly Green  
**Telephone:** 601-649-6374  
**Grant Awarded:** \$26,100.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Mississippi Alliance for Arts Education  
**Address:** 2140 N. 7th Avenue  
Laurel, MS 39440  
**Contact:** Penny Wallin  
**Telephone:** 601-310-1095  
**Grant Awarded:** \$13,050.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**5 grant(s) awarded in Jones County totaling \$39,650.00**

### **Lafayette**

**Name:** Andi Bedsworth  
**Address:** 133 Eagle Pointe Loop  
Oxford, MS 38655  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-380-1940  
**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00  
**Description:** to attend a professional development conference

**Name:** City of Oxford  
**Address:** 107 Courthouse Square  
Oxford, MS 38655  
**Contact:** Lee Ann Stubbs  
**Telephone:** 662-232-2477  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** to support the 2107 Double Decker Arts Festival

**Name:** Ed Tropp  
**Address:** P. O. Box 582  
Oxford, MS 38655  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-519-7846  
**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00  
**Description:** to purchase art supplies

**Name:** Frank Estrada  
**Address:** 152 Franklin Street  
Oxford, MS 38655  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 901-239-4569  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** for a Visual Arts Fellowship

**Name:** Friends of Thacker Mountain Radio, Inc.  
**Address:** P. O. Box 2196  
Oxford, MS 38655  
**Contact:** Kathryn McGaw York  
**Telephone:** 662-380-0125  
**Grant Awarded:** \$17,400.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

# **Mississippi Arts Commission**

## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Lafayette**

**Name:** Oxford Film Festival

**Address:** P. O. Box 727  
Oxford, MS 38655

**Contact:** Melanie Addington  
**Telephone:** 877-560-3456

**Grant Awarded:** \$21,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Rebecca Jernigan

**Address:** 246 CR 471  
Water Valley, MS 38965

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-234-0550

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** Ricky Burkhead

**Address:** 131 Highway 334  
Oxford, MS 38655

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-801-4638

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** University of Mississippi, Oxford Conference for the Book

**Address:** P. O. Box 907, Office of Research  
University, MS 38655

**Contact:** James G. Thomas  
**Telephone:** 662-915-5993

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support the 2017 Oxford conference for the Book

**Name:** Yoknapatawpha Arts Council

**Address:** P. O. Box 544  
Oxford, MS 38655

**Contact:** Meghan Gallagher  
**Telephone:** 662-236-6429

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** to present Craftsmen's Guild artist Andi Bedsworth

**Name:** Yoknapatawpha Arts Council

**Address:** P. O. Box 544  
Oxford, MS 38655

**Contact:** Caitlin Hopper  
**Telephone:** 662-236-6429

**Grant Awarded:** \$26,100.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**11 grant(s) awarded in Lafayette County totaling**

**\$79,500.00**

### **Lamar**

**Name:** Oak Grove Primary School

**Address:** 70 Leaf Lane  
Hattiesburg, MS 39402

**Contact:** Ann Nelson  
**Telephone:** 601-264-9764

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to continue arts integrated instruction

**1 grant(s) awarded in Lamar County totaling**

**\$4,500.00**

# **Mississippi Arts Commission**

## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Lauderdale**

**Name:** Aa'Keela Hudnall

**Address:** 1524 36th Avenue  
Meridian, MS 39307

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-513-1498

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** Annie B. McKee

**Address:** 5891 Windsor Circle  
Meridian, MS 39305

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-681-8525

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** for promotional materials

**Name:** East Mississippi Business Development Foundation

**Address:** P. O. Box 790  
Meridian, MS 39302

**Contact:** Craig Espey

**Telephone:** 601-693-1306

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,500.00

**Description:** to support the 59Twenty Music Festival

**Name:** George Brown

**Address:** 1521 63rd Street  
Meridian, MS 39305

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-481-5886

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for a Visual Arts Fellowship

**Name:** June Davidson

**Address:** 5170 Vimville Causeyville Road  
Meridian, MS 39301

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-672-2022

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** Meridian Little Theatre

**Address:** P O. Box 3157  
Meridian, MS 39303

**Contact:** Ronnie Miller

**Telephone:** 601-482-6371

**Grant Awarded:** \$17,150.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Meridian Museum of Art

**Address:** P. O. Box 5773  
Meridian, MS 39302

**Contact:** Kate Cherry

**Telephone:** 601-693-1501

**Grant Awarded:** \$21,750.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Meridian Symphony Association, Inc.

**Address:** P. O. Box 2171  
Meridian, MS 39302

**Contact:** Susie Johnson

**Telephone:** 601-693-2224

**Grant Awarded:** \$5,000.00

**Description:** for the LinkUP! Arts Education Initiative

# **Mississippi Arts Commission**

## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Lauderdale**

<b>Name:</b> Meridian Symphony Association, Inc.	
<b>Address:</b> P. O. Box 2171	<b>Contact:</b> Susie Johnson
Meridian, MS 39302	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-693-2224
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$21,000.00	
<b>Description:</b> for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b> Oakland Heights Elementary School	
<b>Address:</b> 601 59th Avenue	<b>Contact:</b> Linda Guise
Meridian, MS 39307	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-484-4983
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$1,000.00	
<b>Description:</b> to present Puppet Arts Theatre	
<b>Name:</b> Terrence Roberts	
<b>Address:</b> 6302 Cherry Street	<b>Contact:</b>
Meridian, MS 39307	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-480-1244
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$0.00	
<b>Description:</b> for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b> The Montgomery Institute	
<b>Address:</b> 200 24th Avenue South	<b>Contact:</b> Richelle Putnam
Meridian, MS 39301	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-483-2661
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$4,100.00	
<b>Description:</b> to support the Highway 80 Songwriters' Fest	
<b>12 grant(s) awarded in Lauderdale County totaling</b>	<b>\$78,500.00</b>

### **Leake**

<b>Name:</b> Town of Walnut Grove	
<b>Address:</b> P. O. Box 69	<b>Contact:</b> Michelle Anderson
Walnut Grove, MS 39189	<b>Telephone:</b> 601-253-2321
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$1,000.00	
<b>Description:</b> to present Mr. Sipp	
<b>1 grant(s) awarded in Leake County totaling</b>	<b>\$1,000.00</b>

### **Lee**

<b>Name:</b> Boys & Girls Club of North MS Inc.	
<b>Address:</b> P. O. Box 1098	<b>Contact:</b> Evie Storey
Tupelo, MS 38802	<b>Telephone:</b> 662-841-6504
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$4,500.00	
<b>Description:</b> to support the ballroom dance program	
<b>Name:</b> Carver Elementary School	
<b>Address:</b> 910 North Green Street	<b>Contact:</b> Michelle Powell
Tupelo, MS 38804	<b>Telephone:</b> 662-841-8870
<b>Grant Awarded:</b> \$300.00	
<b>Description:</b> to present Diane Butler	

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Lee**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Chickasaw Inkana Foundation</b>	
Address:	215 North Church Street Tupelo, MS 38804	Contact: Brad Prewitt Telephone: 662-842-4176
Grant Awarded:	\$4,500.00	
Description:	to support the Chickasaw Celebration	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Create Foundation, Inc.</b>	
Address:	P. O. Box 1053 Tupelo, MS 38802	Contact: Lori Grelen Telephone: 662-844-8989
Grant Awarded:	\$4,100.00	
Description:	to present the ballet Swan Lake	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>GumTree Museum of Art</b>	
Address:	P.O. Box 786 Tupelo, MS 38802	Contact: E. Belle Naugher Telephone: 662-844-2787
Grant Awarded:	\$12,000.00	
Description:	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Harrisburg Cultural &amp; Social Service Center -</b>	
Address:	1800 West Main Street Tupelo, MS 38801	Contact: Melanie Deas Telephone: 662-690-4011
Grant Awarded:	\$21,000.00	
Description:	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Lane Chapel Quintet</b>	
Address:	P. O. Box 485 Tupelo, MS 38802	Contact: Rob Barnes Telephone: 662-346-9315
Grant Awarded:	\$0.00	
Description:	for the Mississippi Artist Roster	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Lee County Public Library</b>	
Address:	219 North Madison Street Tupelo, MS 38804	Contact: Jeff Tomlinson Telephone: 662-841-9029
Grant Awarded:	\$4,500.00	
Description:	to support the creation of a public mural	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>North Mississippi Symphony Orchestra</b>	
Address:	1800 West Main Street, Symphony Suite #4 Tupelo, MS 38801	Contact: Lynne Mize Telephone: 662-842-8433
Grant Awarded:	\$18,000.00	
Description:	for an Operating Grant	
<b>Name:</b>	<b>North Mississippi Symphony Orchestra</b>	
Address:	1800 West Main Street, Symphony Suite #4 Tupelo, MS 38801	Contact: Lynne Mize Telephone: 662-842-8433
Grant Awarded:	\$12,500.00	
Description:	for the Link UP! Arts Education Initiative	

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## ***Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County***

### **Lee**

**Name:** Thomas Street Elementary School

**Address:** 520 South Thomas Street  
Tupelo, MS 38801

**Contact:** Leigh Ann Henderson  
**Telephone:** 662-841-8960

**Grant Awarded:** \$425.00

**Description:** to present Terrence Roberts

**Name:** Tupelo Ballet

**Address:** 775 Poplarville  
Tupelo, MS 38801

**Contact:** Sharon Long  
**Telephone:** 662-844-1928

**Grant Awarded:** \$14,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**12 grant(s) awarded in Lee County totaling**

**\$95,825.00**

### **Leflore**

**Name:** ArtPlace Mississippi, Inc.

**Address:** P. O. Box 303  
Greenwood, MS 38935

**Contact:** Hart Henson  
**Telephone:** 662-455-2864

**Grant Awarded:** \$14,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Baptist Town Community Development

**Address:** P. O. Box 26  
Greenwood, MS 38935

**Contact:** Emily Roush-Elliott  
**Telephone:** 937-205-6128

**Grant Awarded:** \$400.00

**Description:** to present Erin Mulligan

**Name:** Greenwood Little Theatre

**Address:** P. O. Box 246  
Greenwood, MS 38935

**Contact:** Cameron Abel  
**Telephone:** 662-947-1075

**Grant Awarded:** \$2,250.00

**Description:** to support a summer youth project

**Name:** John Zheng

**Address:** 211 West Adams Avenue  
Greenwood, MS 38930

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-254-3453

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** to attend the Haiku Society of America South Region conference

**Name:** Museum of the Mississippi Delta

**Address:** 1608 Highway 82 West  
Greenwood, MS 38930

**Contact:** Cheryl Thornhill  
**Telephone:** 662-453-0925

**Grant Awarded:** \$14,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant



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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Leflore**

**Name:** MVSU/Office of International Programs  
**Address:** 14000 Highway 82 West  
Itta Bena, MS 38941  
**Contact:** Cristina Radulescu  
**Telephone:** 662-254-3092  
**Grant Awarded:** \$900.00  
**Description:** to present Puppet Arts Theatre

**Name:** Tiffany Austin  
**Address:** 14000 Highway 82 West, MVSU 5026  
Itta Bena, MS 38941  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 305-505-2132  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** for a Literary Arts Fellowship

**7 grant(s) awarded in Leflore County totaling \$36,550.00**

### **Lincoln**

**Name:** Brookhaven Little Theatre  
**Address:** P O Box 943  
Brookhaven, MS 39602-0943  
**Contact:** Greg Russell  
**Telephone:** 601-669-1878  
**Grant Awarded:** \$5,250.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Mississippi School of the Arts Foundation  
**Address:** P. O. Box 229  
Brookhaven, MS 39602  
**Contact:** Suzanne Hirsch  
**Telephone:** 601-823-1300  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** to support an outreach program

**2 grant(s) awarded in Lincoln County totaling \$9,750.00**

### **Lowndes**

**Name:** Columbus Arts Council  
**Address:** P. O. Box 869  
Columbus, MS 39703  
**Contact:** Tinora Sweeten-Lunsford  
**Telephone:** 662-328-2787  
**Grant Awarded:** \$21,000.00  
**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Kendall Dunkelberg  
**Address:** 517 4th St. South  
Columbus, MS 39701  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-329-4734  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** for a Literary Arts Fellowship

**Name:** Michael F. Smith  
**Address:** 1301 3rd Ave North  
Columbus, MS 39701  
**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-497-0016  
**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00  
**Description:** for a Literary Arts Fellowship

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Lowndes**

**Name:** Tennessee Williams Tribute & Tour of Victorian Homes

**Address:** 294 2nd Avenue North  
Columbus, MS 39701

**Contact:** Dustin Gibson  
**Telephone:** 662-889-6936

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,500.00

**Description:** to support the annual Tennessee Williams Festival

**4 grant(s) awarded in Lowndes County totaling \$33,500.00**

### **Madison**

**Name:** Andrea Thompson

**Address:** P. O. Box 1421  
Madison, MS 39130

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-519-5844

**Grant Awarded:** \$2,000.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

**Name:** Andrea Thompson

**Address:** P. O. Box 1421  
Madison, MS 39130

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-519-5844

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** Community Housing Development Organization

**Address:** P. O. Box 1699  
Canton, MS 39046

**Contact:** Walter C. Jones  
**Telephone:** 601-201-6843

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the Elmore James Hickory Street Heritage Festival

**Name:** Craftsmen's Guild of Mississippi, Inc.

**Address:** 950 Rice Road  
Ridgeland, MS 39157

**Contact:** Nancy Perkins  
**Telephone:** 601-856-7546

**Grant Awarded:** \$26,100.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Dorian Lachance

**Address:** 105 Woodland Drive  
Madison, MS 39110

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-278-7124

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** Elaine Maisel

**Address:** 223 Salem Square  
Ridgeland, MS 39157

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-722-2776

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

# **Mississippi Arts Commission**

## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Madison**

**Name:** Grady Champion

**Address:** P. O. Box 1702  
Canton, MS 39046

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-750-9800

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**Name:** Labalink Latin American Business Association

**Address:** 6712 Old Canton Road, Suite 10  
Ridgeland, MS 39157

**Contact:** Julio Del Castillo  
**Telephone:** 601-500-7700

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support LatinFest

**Name:** Mississippi Metropolitan Ballet Company

**Address:** 110 Homestead Park  
Madison, MS 39110

**Contact:** Crystal Skelton  
**Telephone:** 601-853-4508

**Grant Awarded:** \$14,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Robert Pickenpaugh

**Address:** P. O. Box 314  
Madison, MS 39130

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 601-985-2895

**Grant Awarded:** \$2,000.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

**Name:** Tougaloo College

**Address:** 500 West County Line Road  
Tougaloo, MS 39174

**Contact:** Johnnie M. Maberry  
**Telephone:** 601-977-7700

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the Tougaloo Art Colony

**Name:** Tougaloo College

**Address:** 500 West County Line Road  
Tougaloo, MS 39174

**Contact:** Johnnie Mae Maberry  
**Telephone:** 601-977-7700

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,000.00

**Description:** to support the Children's Art Camp

**12 grant(s) awarded in Madison County totaling \$57,400.00**

### **Marshall**

**Name:** Byhalia Area Arts Council

**Address:** P. O. Box 571  
Byhalia, MS 38611

**Contact:** Faye Woods  
**Telephone:** 901-336-7490

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,230.00

**Description:** to support weekly art classes for the Byhalia History Banners Project

# **Mississippi Arts Commission**

## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Marshall**

**Name:** North Mississippi Hill Country Picnic, Inc

**Address:** P. O. Box 392  
Potts Camp, MS 38659

**Contact:** Georganna Atkins  
**Telephone:** 662-801-7272

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to present the North Mississippi Hill Country Picnic

**Name:** Preserve Marshall County & Holly Springs, Inc.

**Address:** P. O. Box 787  
Holly Springs, MS 38635

**Contact:** Sara Brown  
**Telephone:** 901-336-4090

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,290.00

**Description:** to support the North Mississippi Hill Country Picnic guitar workshop

**3 grant(s) awarded in Marshall County totaling \$8,620.00**

### **Monroe**

**Name:** Monroe County Board of Supervisors

**Address:** P. O. Box 578  
Aberdeen, MS 39730

**Contact:** Matthias Fischer  
**Telephone:** 662-646-0895

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,000.00

**Description:** to present Cedric Burnside

**1 grant(s) awarded in Monroe County totaling \$1,000.00**

### **Montgomery**

**Name:** Action Communication and Education Reform, Inc

**Address:** 610 Head Start Street  
Duck Hill, MS 38925

**Contact:** Lydia Seals  
**Telephone:** 662-565-2478

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to present the Grassroots Blues Festival

**Name:** Montgomery County Arts Council

**Address:** P. O. Box 644  
Winona, MS 38967

**Contact:** Paula McCaulla  
**Telephone:** 662-283-3750

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the production of Hillfire

**2 grant(s) awarded in Montgomery County totaling \$8,200.00**

### **Neshoba**

**Name:** Neshoba Central Pre-K

**Address:** 580 East Main Street  
Philadelphia, MS 39350

**Contact:** LaMonica Calloway  
**Telephone:** 601-656-4484

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,000.00

**Description:** to present Puppet Arts Theatre

# **Mississippi Arts Commission**

## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Neshoba**

**Name:** Philadelphia-Neshoba Co Arts Council

**Address:** P. O. Box 131  
Philadelphia, MS 39350

**Contact:** Sharon DeWeese  
**Telephone:** 601-656-9838

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Philadelphia-Neshoba County Public Library

**Address:** 230 W Beacon Street  
Philadelphia, MS 39350

**Contact:** Sloane Cheatham  
**Telephone:** 877-671-0183

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,000.00

**Description:** to present Puppet Arts Theatre

**3 grant(s) awarded in Neshoba County totaling \$6,500.00**

### **Noxubee**

**Name:** Earl Nash Elementary School

**Address:** P. O. Box 391  
Macon, MS 39341

**Contact:** Valorie Edwards  
**Telephone:** 662-726-5203

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,000.00

**Description:** to present Puppet Arts Theatre

**Name:** Joe Shelton

**Address:** 3318 Jefferson Street  
Macon, MS 39341

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-726-9893

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** for promotional materials

**2 grant(s) awarded in Noxubee County totaling \$1,500.00**

### **Oktibbeha**

**Name:** Dominic Lippillo

**Address:** 217 County Lake Road  
Starkville, MS 39759

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-769-9406

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for a Visual Arts Fellowship

**Name:** J. Suzanne Powney

**Address:** 303 Greensboro Street  
Starkville, MS 39759

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 713-303-9466

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** to purchase art supplies

**Name:** Mississippi State University Libraries

**Address:** P. O. Box 5408  
Miss State, MS 39762

**Contact:** Stephen Cunetto  
**Telephone:** 662-325-8542

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to present the Charles Templeton Ragtime and Jazz Festival

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Oktibbeha**

**Name:** Mississippi State University, Department of Art

**Address:** 449 Hardy Road, 133 Etheredge Hall  
Mississippi State, MS 39762

**Contact:** Lori Neuenfeldt  
**Telephone:** 662-325-3273

**Grant Awarded:** \$2,250.00

**Description:** to present Liz Miller

**Name:** MSU/Summer Scholars On-Stage

**Address:** P O Box 9710-01  
Mississippi State, MS 39762

**Contact:** Joe Ray Underwood  
**Telephone:** 662-325-3719

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support the summer scholars program

**Name:** Starkville Area Arts Council

**Address:** 101 South Lafayette St, Suite 18  
Starkville, MS 39759

**Contact:** Erin Davies  
**Telephone:** 662-324-3080

**Grant Awarded:** \$17,400.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Starkville Community Theatre

**Address:** P. O. Box 1254  
Starkville, MS 39760-1254

**Contact:** Gabe Smith  
**Telephone:** 662-323-6855

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support a season of performances

**Name:** Starkville/MSU Symphony Association

**Address:** P. O. Box 1271  
Starkville, MS 39760

**Contact:** Joe Ray Underwood  
**Telephone:** 662-323-8969

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support Programs for Children concert series

**8 grant(s) awarded in Oktibbeha County totaling \$41,850.00**

### **Out of State**

**Name:** Monica Gomez

**Address:** 908 De Leon  
El Paso, TX 79912-4949

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 915-584-9298

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Teaching Artist Roster

**1 grant(s) awarded in Out of State County totaling \$0.00**

### **Panola**

**Name:** Panola Playhouse

**Address:** P. O. Box 43  
Sardis, MS 38666

**Contact:** Rogers Smith  
**Telephone:** 662-934-5435

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,500.00

**Description:** to support the Panola Playhouse Youth Theatrical Camp

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## ***Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County***

### **Panola**

**Name:** Sharon McConnell-Dickerson

**Address:** 204 Sycamore Street  
Como, MS 38619

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 662-526-1020

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Teaching Artist Roster

**2 grant(s) awarded in Panola County totaling \$3,500.00**

### **Pearl River**

**Name:** Pearl River Community College

**Address:** 101 Highway 11 North  
Poplarville, MS 39470

**Contact:** Steve Howard

**Telephone:** 601-403-1127

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to present the Mississippi Symphony Orchestra

**1 grant(s) awarded in Pearl River County totaling \$4,100.00**

### **Pike**

**Name:** McComb Main Street/MCEP

**Address:** P. O. Box 802  
McComb, MS 39649

**Contact:** Vickie Webb

**Telephone:** 601-680-0342

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,000.00

**Description:** to present roster artist King Edwards at the Blues and Heritage Festival

**1 grant(s) awarded in Pike County totaling \$1,000.00**

### **Pontotoc**

**Name:** June Caldwell

**Address:** 210 S. Main Street  
Pontotoc, MS 38863

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 662-419-0764

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**1 grant(s) awarded in Pontotoc County totaling \$0.00**

### **Rankin**

**Name:** Alan Kolodny

**Address:** 220 Cross Park Drive, #J116  
Pearl, MS 39208

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-942-6975

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Fellowship

**Name:** Allan Innman

**Address:** 103 High Street  
Brandon, MS 39042

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 662-816-5573

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for a Visual Arts Fellowship

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Rankin**

**Name:** Lyle Wynn

**Address:** 236 Nelda Drive  
Brandon, MS 39042

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-940-8816

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,972.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

**Name:** Lyle Wynn

**Address:** 236 Nelda Drive  
Brandon, MS 39042

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-940-8816

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Fellowship

**Name:** Melanie Thortis

**Address:** 119 Napoleon Drive  
Brandon, MS 39047

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-927-8620

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for a Visual Arts Fellowship

**Name:** Town of Pelahatchie

**Address:** P. O. Box 229  
Pelahatchie, MS 39145

**Contact:** Bettye Massey

**Telephone:** 601-854-5224

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the Muscadine Jubilee Festival

**6 grant(s) awarded in Rankin County totaling**

**\$24,072.00**

### **Sharkey**

**Name:** Mississippi Lower Delta Partnership

**Address:** P. O. Box 214  
Rolling Fork, MS 39159-0214

**Contact:** Meg Cooper

**Telephone:** 662-873-6261

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to support the Great Delta Bear Affair

**1 grant(s) awarded in Sharkey County totaling**

**\$4,500.00**

### **Sunflower**

**Name:** B.B. King Museum

**Address:** 400 Second Street  
Indianola, MS 38751

**Contact:** Verna Ransom

**Telephone:** 662 887-9539

**Grant Awarded:** \$26,100.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Bobby Whalen

**Address:** P O Box 2139  
Indianola, MS 38751

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 662-378-6159

**Grant Awarded:** \$2,000.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship



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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Sunflower**

**2 grant(s) awarded in Sunflower County totaling \$28,100.00**

### **Tate**

**Name: MidSouth Music Institute, Inc.**

**Address:** 653 Oakley Road  
Senatobia, MS 38668

**Contact:** Joelle Norris  
**Telephone:** 901-461-4263

**Grant Awarded:** \$12,000.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name: The Baddour Center**

**Address:** P. O. Box 97  
Senatobia, MS 38668

**Contact:** Melissa Baker  
**Telephone:** 662-562-0100

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the Expressive Arts Department and its activities

**2 grant(s) awarded in Tate County totaling \$16,100.00**

### **Union**

**Name: Union Cty Historical Society and Heritage Museum**

**Address:** P. O. Box 657  
New Albany, MS 38652

**Contact:** Jill N. Smith  
**Telephone:** 662-538-0014

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,500.00

**Description:** to support the 'Creative Spirits' exhibit

**1 grant(s) awarded in Union County totaling \$3,500.00**

### **Walthall**

**Name: The Trustys of Davo Crossing**

**Address:** P. O. Box 388  
Tylertown, MS 39667-0388

**Contact:** Danny M. Trusty  
**Telephone:** 601-876-5606

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Mississippi Artist Roster

**1 grant(s) awarded in Walthall County totaling \$0.00**

### **Warren**

**Name: Amelia Brame**

**Address:** 9 Jil Marie Circle  
Vicksburg, MS 39183

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 801-368-5168

**Grant Awarded:** \$0.00

**Description:** for the Teaching Artist Roster

**Name: American Guild of Organists**

**Address:** 121 Rollingwood Drive  
Vicksburg, MS 39183

**Contact:** Barbara Tracy  
**Telephone:** 601-218-1371

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to present four organ recitals during the 31st Choral Organ Festival

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Warren**

**Name:** Jerry Jenkins

**Address:** 1423 Harrison Street  
Vicksburg, MS 39180

**Contact:**

**Telephone:** 601-899-2668

**Grant Awarded:** \$500.00

**Description:** to attend a drum conference

**Name:** Shape Up Mississippi

**Address:** 3207 Plaza Drive  
Vicksburg, MS 39180

**Contact:** Linda Fondren

**Telephone:** 601-529-6120

**Grant Awarded:** \$1,800.00

**Description:** to support the creation of a community garden mural

**Name:** Southern Cultural Heritage Foundation

**Address:** 1302 Adams Street  
Vicksburg, MS 39180

**Contact:** Stacey Massey

**Telephone:** 601-631-2997

**Grant Awarded:** \$17,400.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**5 grant(s) awarded in Warren County totaling**

**\$24,200.00**

### **Washington**

**Name:** Delta Center Stage

**Address:** P. O. Box 14  
Greenville, MS 38701

**Contact:** Tim Bixler

**Telephone:** 662-378-9849

**Grant Awarded:** \$17,400.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** Delta Children's Museum

**Address:** P.O. Box 1194  
Greenville, MS 38702

**Contact:** J.J. Smith

**Telephone:** 662-378-8645

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** to present the "Performing Arts Series 2016-2017"

**Name:** Greater Greenville Development Foundation

**Address:** 503 Washington Avenue  
Greenville, MS 38701

**Contact:** Nathan Benzing

**Telephone:** 662-378-3121

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the Delta Hot Tamale Festival

**Name:** Greenville Arts Council

**Address:** 323 South Main Street  
Greenville, MS 38701

**Contact:** Mary Catherine Davis

**Telephone:** 662-332-2246

**Grant Awarded:** \$15,660.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

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## **Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County**

### **Washington**

**Name:** Greenville Renaissance Scholars

**Address:** 323 South Main Street  
Greenville, MS 38701

**Contact:** Mary Hardy  
**Telephone:** 662-820-5047

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,100.00

**Description:** to support the summer arts program, Camp Renaissance

**Name:** Hollandale Economic & Comm Development Foundation

**Address:** P. O. Box 54  
Hollandale, MS 38748-0054

**Contact:** Willie J. Burnside  
**Telephone:** 662-579-5580

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,500.00

**Description:** to support the Sam Chatmon Blues Festival

**Name:** Leland Chamber of Commerce, Inc

**Address:** P. O. Box 67  
Leland, MS 38756

**Contact:** Melia Christensen  
**Telephone:** 662-379-3764

**Grant Awarded:** \$750.00

**Description:** to present Crooked Creek String Band

**Name:** MACE/Delta Arts Project

**Address:** 119 South Theobald Street  
Greenville, MS 38701

**Contact:** Staci Grace  
**Telephone:** 662-335-3523

**Grant Awarded:** \$17,400.00

**Description:** for an Operating Grant

**Name:** MDAH/Winterville Mounds Park and Museum

**Address:** 200 North Street  
Jackson, MS 39201-1808

**Contact:** Mark Howell  
**Telephone:** 601-576-6850

**Grant Awarded:** \$3,500.00

**Description:** to support the Native American Days celebration

**9 grant(s) awarded in Washington County totaling \$70,910.00**

### **Wilkinson**

**Name:** Woodville/Wilkinson County Main Street Association

**Address:** P. O. Box 1546  
Woodville, MS 39669

**Contact:** Polly A. Rosenblatt  
**Telephone:** 601-888-3998

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,050.00

**Description:** to support the Woodville Deer & Wildlife Festival

**1 grant(s) awarded in Wilkinson County totaling \$4,050.00**

### **Yalobusha**

**Name:** Coulter Fussell

**Address:** 211 North Main Street  
Water Valley, MS 38965

**Contact:**  
**Telephone:** 662-801-6582

**Grant Awarded:** \$4,500.00

**Description:** for a Folk Arts Fellowship

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## ***Fiscal Year 2017 Grants by County***

### **Yalobusha**

**1 grant(s) awarded in Yalobusha County totaling \$4,500.00**

### **Yazoo**

**Name: Jimmy Holmes**

**Address: P. O. Box 68  
Bentonia, MS 39040**

**Contact:  
Telephone: 662-528-1900**

**Grant Awarded: \$0.00**

**Description: for the Mississippi Artist Roster**

**1 grant(s) awarded in Yazoo County totaling \$0.00**